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**Applicant(s):** Robert J. von GUTFELD et al.

**Serial No.:** 09/917,087

**For:** *METHOD OF SEALING TWO SUBSTRATES WITH A NON-EPOXY OR  
EPOXY-ACRYLATE SEALANT USING LASER RADIATION*

**Enclosed are the following:**

Transmittal letter (1 page); and Response With Amendment (13 pages)

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Total Claims (Small Entity)	14	-	24	0	18.00 (9.00)	0
Independent claims (Small Entity)	7	-	3	4	86.00 (43.00)	344
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The following amendment is being submitted in response to the **FINAL** Office Action dated June 8, 2004. Please enter and consider the following amendment and remarks as follows:

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